

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL  
B.S.A.

DATE

9/6/66

Full Name SMITH, HOWELL A.....  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 2516 Hardy Place

City Arlington State Texas

Age 46 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age \_\_\_\_\_ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Methodist Nationality American

Occupation Salesman

Education \_\_\_\_\_

Weight 168 Color White Height Approx. 6'

Color of hair Brown Color of eyes Brown ??

Outstanding characteristics or interests None

Married or single MARRIED Children ~~3~~ 4  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
Troop 185	Arlington	Texas	ASM	6/64	6/66

Special recognition \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended for Confidential file for following reasons:

KNOWN HOMOSEXUAL

Signed

*[Signature]*  
Scout Executive

GC-294-31

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September 17, 1968

Mr. Ben H. Love  
Scout Executive  
Longhorn Council, Nol 582

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Howell A. Smith  
Chairman, Troop 185

Dear Mr. Love:

On your charter application for Troop 87, you included the registration for Howell A. Smith, 2615 Hardy Place, Arlington, Texas, to serve as Chairman in District 8. We regret to inform you that we cannot accept Mr. Smith's application.

When informing Mr. Smith about this, simply tell him that the National Council does not wish to accept his registration in the Boy Scouts of America. If Mr. Smith should raise any questions as to reason, you might indicate to him that registration in the Boy Scouts of America is a privilege and not a right and that the National Council reserves the prerogative to accept those individuals it feels will best serve the interests of the organization.

We are herewith enclosing a credit notice of \$1.00. Kindly delete Mr. Smith's name from your records.

Please submit another application for the replacement of Mr. Smith as Chairman. We will hold this unit pending until we hear from you.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

BK  
Enc.

*unit released  
12/10/68  
Eck*

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# APPLICATION FOR ADULT REGISTRATION

## BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE FILLED OUT PERSONALLY BY EACH ADULT WHO IS NOT LISTED ON THE UNIT CHARTER APPLICATION OR COUNCIL ROSTER AND WHO:

### STATUS

- Registers for the first time, regardless of position. (New) ☐
- Has been separated and is reregistering. (Sep.-Re.) ☒
- Is now registered in this council, separating from current position and transferring to new position. Please submit Separation Notice for position individual is leaving. (Transfer) ☐
- Is now registered in another council. (Transfer) ☐

### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

REGION NO.	COUNCIL NO.	DISTRICT NO.	(Type of unit) NATIONAL NO.
9	582	8	185

Expiration date 6/69 Boys' Life term \_\_\_\_\_  
 Registration term 12 Boys' Life start issue \_\_\_\_\_  
 Unit leader fully trained ☐

**BOYS' LIFE**  
 Check box for subscription to Boys' Life magazine. ☐  
 Half-price membership rate to registered Scouters is \$2 a year or 17 cents a month effective April 1, 1968. See reverse side.

Name Howell A. Smith (Please print or type full name)  
 Street or R.F.D. address 2616 Hardy Place  
 City Arlington State Texas ZIP code 76010  
 To serve as Chmn. or \_\_\_\_\_ (Position in council)  
 Sex M Age 48 U.S. citizen: Yes ☒ No ☐ OR Declaration of Intention: Yes ☐ No ☐ OR visiting adult alien\* Yes ☐  
 Religious preference (See other side, Article III) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation P Marital status \_\_\_\_\_  
 Have you been registered in Scouting in any adult capacity? Yes ☐ No ☐ Give position \_\_\_\_\_  
 Give dates, duration, location \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you have an unexpired registration card? Yes ☐ No ☐ Where paid? \_\_\_\_\_ (Council) \_\_\_\_\_ (Unit No.)  
 Unit Scouters only: Type of unit T Local No. 185 Unit location Arlington, Texas (City) (State)  
 Council name \_\_\_\_\_ District name \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby make application for registration with the Boy Scouts of America and subscribe to its Scout Oath or Promise and Scout Law and its declaration of religious principle as stated on the reverse side of this application. I agree, if a registration certificate is granted, to be guided by the Charter and Bylaws and other regulations of the Boy Scouts of America and the local council.

I transmit herewith \$1 registration fee for 1 year (or a pro rata fee), a portion of which is to cover subscription to Scouting Magazine for the period of my membership. For a subscription to Boys' Life I will add \$2 (or a pro rata amount) as indicated above.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_  
 (See "Approval" on other side)

### LOCAL COUNCIL APPROVAL

We hereby approve this person and recommend certificate be issued.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signed \_\_\_\_\_ (Scout executive)

### Check Adult Registration Fee Paid

<input type="checkbox"/> 1 mo. 10¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 mo. 50¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 9 mo. 80¢
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 " 20¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 " 50¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 10 " 90¢
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 " 30¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 7 " 60¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 11 " \$1.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 4 " 40¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 8 " 70¢	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 12 " 1.00

\*FOR UNIT SCOUTERS ONLY: A visiting adult alien must indicate country of citizenship on an attached note giving last address there and previous Scouting record, if any. An institutional representative must be a U.S. citizen or have declared his intention.

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September 14, 1966

Mr. Kirk Henry  
Scout Executive  
Longhorn Council, No. 582

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Howell A. Smith

Dear Kirk:

Thank you for your confidential record sheet dated September 6 concerning Mr. Howell A. Smith, formerly registered as Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 185. We have placed this information in our files.

This additional information will enable us to identify Mr. Smith should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely yours,  
PERSONNEL DIVISION

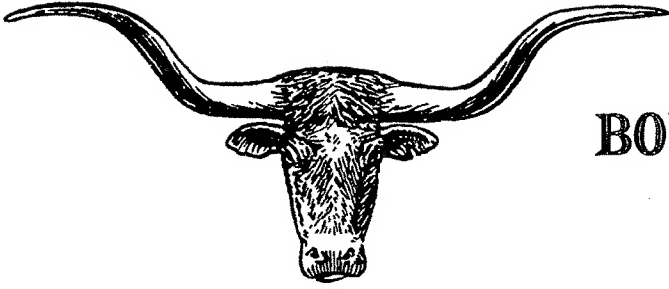
Howard Boyd  
Director of Registration

HB/clr

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# BOY SCOUTS of AMERICA

*Longhorn Council No. 582*

1200 W. RIO GRANDE  
FORT WORTH 3, TEXAS  
TELEPHONE ED 6-2539

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

August 5, 1966

Mr. Howard P. Boyd, Director  
Registration Service  
National Council  
Boy Scouts of America  
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903

SUBJECT: Howell A. Smith  
2616 Hardy Place  
Arlington, Texas  
Age: 46

Dear Howard:

Please find attached a Case Report written by H. R. Palmer, Assistant Scout Executive of the Longhorn Council, Boy Scouts of America, on July 27, 1966, concerning Howell A. Smith, 2616 Hardy Place, Arlington, Texas, age forty-six.

As you can see by this Case Report, the entire matter was handled by the Vice Squad in Dallas and the Region Nine Office representatives.

I am assuming that this information has not been sent to you by the Regional Office, as it is my understanding that recommendations for the Confidential File should be sent to you by local Councils.

In the event that this information has already been sent to you by the Regional Office, please attach this to their file.

In any event, from the looks of things, Howell A. Smith should be placed on the Confidential File.

Best regards, Howard.

Sincerely,

*Kirk Henry*  
Kirk Henry  
Scout Executive

KH:ss  
Attachment

cc: Mr. Kenneth L. Oliver

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CASE REPORT

NAME: Howell A. Smith

ADDRESS: 2616 Hardy Place, Arlington, Texas

AGE: 46

SCOUTING STATUS: Registered as Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop 185, from June 1964 to June 1965. As far as we can determine, this man is not now registered in any Troop, Pack, Post, or District Committee in the Longhorn Council.

FACTS: Leyman Fleming, District Scout Executive of the Longhorn Council, Boy Scouts of America, received a call from Clarence Youngblood, Deputy Regional Scout Executive, Region Nine, Boy Scouts of America, on the evening of July 26, 1966. Mr. Youngblood had asked for Mr. Henry, Scout Executive, Rex Palmer, Assistant Scout Executive, and third for Mr. Fleming.

Mr. Youngblood made the following report by phone to Mr. Fleming: Mr. Howell A. Smith, age 46, of 2616 Hardy Place, Arlington, Texas, had been arrested by the Vice Squad in a public toilet at the corner of Elm and Akard in Dallas, Texas. The arresting officer had contacted Mr. Youngblood of the Regional Office stating that this man had been arrested on morals charges of suspicion of sodomy and that he stated that he was Scoutmaster of Troop 185, Arlington, Texas. Mr. Youngblood told the police officer that they would inform us of this incident and thanked them for their services.

Mr. Youngblood was contacted by phone by myself Wednesday, July 27, 1966 at which time he reaffirmed the story that he had told Mr. Fleming and added that the accused had propositioned the Vice Squad Officer and that the Dallas Police would handle this man to the extent of the law.

Mr. Ray Smith, District Scout Executive of the Cross Timbers District, is out of the city on vacation and will be on vacation until August 8, 1966.

A telephone call was placed to Dr. Floyd Cash, District Commissioner of the Cross Timbers District, but at the writing of this statement we have been unable to contact Dr. Cash.

Since this man is not now affiliated in Scouting (to the best of our knowledge), no further action will be taken on this case until the Scout Executive, Mr. Kirk Henry, returns from his vacation.

July 27, 1966  
HRP:cc

*H. R. Palmer*  
H. R. Palmer  
Assistant Scout Executive

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August 12, 1966

Mr. Kirk Henry  
Scout Executive  
Longhorn Council, No. 582

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Howell A. Smith  
Ass't. Scoutmaster Tr. 185

Dear Kirk:

Thank you for your letter of August 5 and the attached case report concerning Howell A. Smith, Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 185 in Arlington. We have placed this information in our files.

Enclosed is a confidential record sheet which we would appreciate your filling out and returning to us as soon as possible. This additional information will enable us to identify Mr. Smith should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

We appreciate your kind cooperation in this matter. Best regards.

Sincerely yours,  
PERSONNEL DIVISION

Howard Boyd  
Director of Registration

HB/clr  
Encl.

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Best regards, Howard.

Sincerely,

Kirk Henry  
Scout Executive

KH:ss  
Attachment

cc: Mr. Kenneth L. Oliver ✓

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July 27, 1966

HRP:cc

*H. R. Palmer*

H. R. Palmer

Assistant Scout Executive

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